

CROW DESERTS FOES OF CHILD LABOR BILL TO AID BRUMBAUGH

With Only Senator Snyder to Help, Manufacturers Will Make Last Feeble Fight on Measure Monday.

By a Staff Correspondent. HARRISBURG, April 28.—Governor Brumbaugh's child labor bill, providing for the continuation of schools, the granting of employment certificates only on the basis of physical fitness, prohibition of night work for children under 12 years of age and a 51-hour week for minors, is assured of passage by the Legislature. Senator Crow, who has been fighting to have the measure amended, principally because of the enormous "slush" fund raised by certain manufacturers during the campaign last year, has "laid down." He absented himself during the crucial point in the fight on Monday night, when the bill was forced out of the "pickling" committee of the Senate and immediately after a long conference with Governor Brumbaugh upon the bill here last night, he joined the Governor's forces. He will not fight the measure as it now stands. The bill was formally sent back to the "pickling" committee today, but was reported out, without amendment. The Senate took this action to satisfy the Governor's demand that the bill be reported out to fight the bill. It came up on second reading today when it was passed by a vote of 21 to 10. The motion was carried by Senator Vare and the measure was passed. The motion was carried by Senator Vare and the measure was passed. The motion was carried by Senator Vare and the measure was passed.

VARIED WEATHER MENU SHATTERS ALL RECORDS

Temperature Freaks Make Ordinary Humans Lightning Change Artists.

Table with 2 columns: Day, Temperature. Sunday 82, Monday 40 to 81, Tuesday 53 to 71, Wednesday 60.

April, 1915, for Philadelphians very nearly has broken all records for wild temperature fluctuations. Intense heat on Sunday; moderate temperature Monday morning, but an 80-degree reach during the afternoon of that day; intense heat again yesterday, with the mercury tumbling 21 degrees in two hours—that is the record. The rapid drop of yesterday was the result of a 44-mile-an-hour gale, which struck the city about 6 o'clock last night. Great swirls of dust were swept through the city streets, making walking precarious by blinding eyes. It was the forerunner of rain, but the freak element of the storm was found in the hour time it required to put in its appearance after the gale started. Ninety-three degrees, the high temperature of yesterday, registered at 2:30 p. m. was the highest for April 27 on record, and equaled the high record for the month of April made on the 18th in 1896.

MURDERER OF BROOKLYN WOMAN SOUGHT IN THIS CITY

Hanel, Accused of Killing Benefactress, Pawnee Her Jewelry Here. Detectives and special police officers are scouring this city today in an effort to capture Joseph Hanel, accused of murdering Mrs. Julia Heilner, wife of a wealthy corset manufacturer of Brooklyn, who was found murdered in her home at 217 Albemarle road, Flatbush, on Friday afternoon. The pair of pearl earrings surrounded by 15 chip diamonds each, belonging to the dead woman, were pawned by Hanel in this city within five hours of the discovery of the murder. It is believed that the man is still in Philadelphia, probably protected by some of his pals in the Tenderloin. The knowledge that Hanel had come to Philadelphia was first known yesterday when Abraham Lhmer, manager of the New York Loan Company, at 143 North 9th street, this city, notified the police that jewelry answering the description of the missing items had been pawned at 10 o'clock on Friday. He later identified a picture of Hanel as that of the man who pawned the earrings. Detectives Roddy, Maher and Snowden, of New York, came to this city with Miss Helen Buck, former companion to Mrs. Heilner, and positively identified the jewelry as those torn from the dead body. The earrings were returned to New York this morning, but the visiting detectives remained here. Joined by Detectives Geonetti and Iola, of this city, they are making a thorough search of the Tenderloin. It was said that Hanel had been seen in that section, the detectives believe that he may have sought refuge in another section of the city.

SCHOOLGIRLS BEAR PALL

Playmates of Margaret Webb Attend Funeral. A touching and tender tribute was paid to the memory of pretty little 7-year-old Margaret Webb, of 936 North 47th street, this afternoon, when six of the little girl's playmates acted as pallbearers and the entire enrollment of Our Mother of Sorrows' Church parochial school accompanied the little white hearse to the grave. Funeral services were held at the church, 48th street and Lancaster avenue. Margaret died last Sunday from heart trouble. She had been ill only a few days. The news of her death has brought sorrow to all at the parochial school, where she was a model and beloved pupil. Her playmates had to leave her in a pallbearer, and the six little girls were finally chosen with the mutual consent of the teachers and Margaret's parents.

NEW FRUIT SERVICE OPENED

Cargo of Bananas Inaugurates Service From West Indies. A new fruit service between the West Indies and this port was inaugurated today with the arrival of the steamship Bellita, from Port Antonio, with a large cargo of bananas. The new company, which will have its office on the Municipal pier at Race street, is to be known as the West Indies Importing Company. C. M. Taylor, who has had vast experience in the shipping business, heads the company. It is planned to carry general cargo on the southern trip.

TALE OF A CAT AND A MONKEY REVEALS SAD TRAGEDY OF CIRCUS

Arcthusa's Obvious Fate Temporarily Removes That Magnetic Hound Dog of Dexter Fellows From Glow of Spotlight and Proves the Boleful Effect of Jealousy. Tragedy must have its fling at the circus as well as anywhere else. As a consequence of an unfortunate incident that happened at the grounds yesterday there is, therefore, crepe hanging on the back fence of a house in the vicinity of the big tent. It all happened this way. Arcthusa, the pet cat of the aforesaid residence, found her way to the big kitchen tent at the circus yesterday afternoon. That she made the trip in great calamity for the countless hundreds of show folk. A regular pet of that department is a monkey of the name of Ignatz. When Ignatz is in the mood, he is especially fond of the circus cooks put quite a fancy to her. Choice tidbits went her way and she had the time of her life during the early hours of the afternoon. Jealousy shook his being. Who was this wench Arcthusa to supplant him, a regular member of the circus family, in the hearts of the crowd? Ignatz laid his plans and he laid them with unparalleled stealth and cunning. Late in the afternoon Arcthusa disappeared. Last night the Chinese acrobats, peered into the tent and found the cat on the tent on pulleys fastened to the top of the tent. They thought the cat was dead. The remains of the cat were found at the tent. It had a peculiar taste; at least it did not. It had a peculiar taste; at least it did not. It had a peculiar taste; at least it did not.

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MRS. ASTOR WILL WED MACKAY, RUMOR SAYS

Society Hears Widow of Titanic Victim Is to Marry Telegraph Company's Head.

Philadelphia society is interested today in revived rumors that Mrs. Madeline Force Astor, widow of Colonel John Jacob Astor, is engaged to marry Clarence H. Mackay, president of the Postal Telegraph Company. Mrs. Astor is now in Washington with Mrs. Joseph E. Widener of this city. Mr. Mackay, who was divorced in Paris in February, 1914, following the airing of troubles between the Blake and Mackay families, is a member of the party of friends accompanying Mrs. Astor and Mrs. Widener. They will visit Richmond and other points in the South. Mr. Mackay's divorced wife married Dr. Joseph A. Blake in Paris in November, 1914. Trouble between Doctor Blake and his wife came to light in the fall of 1913, when Mrs. Blake brought suit against Mrs. Mackay for \$100,000 for alienation of her husband's affections. Later the suit was dropped, but she obtained a divorce from Doctor Blake. A mutual divorce was granted to the Mackays as a sequel to the Blake divorce, each charging desertion. Should Mrs. Astor marry she would lose the income from \$50,000 and the use of the Astor mansion at 400 Madison New York. In the will of her husband she was given \$100,000 outright, the income from the amount named and the use of the mansion until her death or remarriage.

COUNCILMEN WAIT ON IN BIG PRIZE CONTEST

Presidents Still Refuse to Name the "Lucky Twenty-four." Apprehension and whisperings pervade the Council corridors and clerks rooms in City Hall. The tension of the situation increases daily, as bores of Organization Councilmen, for no stated reason, haunt the corridors—"just to see how things are going." The tension is due entirely to the delay of Presidents Hensley and McCurdy in naming the "lucky 24" who will go to the Panama-Pacific Exposition with the Liberty Bell, serving as the excuse for free transportation and meals on the cross-continent jaunt. Councilmen are now declaring that they are beginning to realize why the bell that proclaimed liberty is worthy of veneration. The "lucky 24" will include 12 Councilmen from each body named ostensibly to make all arrangements for the excursion. Their duties will not be extremely arduous, before the fatigues incident to their train ride begins, because all arrangements are now being perfected by the clerks of Councils. Announcement has been made that the bell will go west by the Northern route and return by the southern, giving patriotic Americans in all sections of the country a chance to obtain "inspiration and education" by a glimpse at the relic. Another interpretation of the choice of routes by an opponent of the junket was that the "lucky 24" were choosing routes in keeping with climatic conditions. The trip westward will be made in midsummer, hence the Northern route. The return will be made in the fall or winter, when railroad folders declare, the Southern lines are especially delightful. Announcement of the 24 prize-winners probably will be made within a few days, and the ward strife and activities of retaliation by the disappointed contestants will be in full swing.

HORSE'S DEATH DECREED IN WILL FILED FOR PROBATE

S. Davis Murah Directed That Animal Should Not Survive Him. S. Davis Murah, who died April 21 at Cottman street and Castor road, leaving personal property aggregating \$100,000, specified in his will that should his horse be killed, Letters testamentary in his estate were granted today to a nephew, Howard W. Murah. The decedent left his property in equal shares to a nephew and seven nieces. Other wills probated today include those of Mary R. Potts, who left \$54,750; Thomas Greenwood, \$31,500; Elizabeth W. Kempson, \$30,000; Mary McCaughey, \$25,000; Eriana Wilson, \$4500; Albertine Selger, \$2500. Personal property of Charles A. Sparks has been appraised at \$14,085; James Lackey \$709.31; Mary Burns, \$509.95; Bridget Campbell, \$294.30.

AUTO INJURES CHILD

6-Year-Old Boy Tossed by Motorcar; Condition Serious. Six-year-old Vernon Roach is in serious condition, with internal injuries, at his home, 1828 North 27th street, as a result of being struck and hurled 15 feet by an automobile at 32d and Oxford streets. The chauffeur, Richard Labar, 151 E. 13th street, was held in \$500 bail for further exceeding the minimum limit by \$1000. "You may also say that I authorized this statement."

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1501 Columbia Ave. "Why not have the best?" Ripped-out buttonholes can often be traced to the laundry. It's one of the thousand things we are careful to avoid. Your garments last longer when they go to the Neptune Laundry.



P. O. S. OF A HEADS Above is S. J. McGonagle, elected commander-in-chief. Below is Horace F. Mac Fadyen, junior vice commander.

HENRY FORD LIKELY TO GIVE CUSTOMERS SHARE IN PROFITS

Interest Aroused Here Over Plan to Refund \$50 to Car Buyers. Much interest was aroused today in Philadelphia over the announcement of Henry Ford of Detroit, that the profit-sharing plan which he outlined conditionally last August, would continue to be carried out, and that \$50 would be paid to each purchaser of a Ford car between August 1, 1914, and next August. This means that at least \$15,000,000 will be refunded by the Ford Motor Car Company to its customers. The condition under which the rebate was to become operative was that at least 300,000 cars were to be built and sold during the year following last August. While this number has not yet been sold, its production and disposal, with a month to spare, is assured. Prospects are bright for exceeding the minimum limit by a large number. "You may say that I authorized this statement."

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SUNDAY WINS BUT 27 CONVERTS IN PASSAIC

Diligent Appeals Win Few in Audience of 1200 in Fashionable Church.

By a Staff Correspondent. PATERSON, N. J., April 28.—Although he talked to a representative society audience in Passaic this morning, "Billy" Sunday wasn't at all pleased with the manner in which they received his message and responded to his invitation to give themselves to God. At his invitation, 27 out of an audience of 1200 came forward and took the evangelist by the hand. It was with difficulty that he succeeded in getting even this comparatively small number to acknowledge themselves penitents. When he made the prayer at the close of the sermon, Sunday looked over the well-dressed and well-fed audience, and said: "Who will raise his hand and say 'I want to take Christ?' Come on down and give me your hand." The choir, a dozen young women, sang the hymn, "I Am Coming Home." "Billy" pleaded with the people to come forward. Active personal work on the part of Trainer Jack Cardiff resulted in an old man coming forward. The rest of the people seemed to hesitate, and "Billy" cried impulsively, "What good is it to be wealthy without God? Why is it that you don't want to be Christians?" After about 10 minutes there were 20 women, four girls and three men on the penitents' bench in the front row. Mayor George N. Seger, of Passaic, was highly pleased with "Billy's" visit to his city, and when asked his opinion of the evangelist, summed it up in two words, "absolutely sincere." Sunday's subject was the 23d Psalm. He said that the lack of moral influence in the education of the children today was the cause of there being so many criminals with the dew of youth upon their brows. "You have to go around to the courthouse to find out who has the most religion. Instead of consulting Dun's or Bradstreet's," he said. "Most people forget all about religion in these modern times and God has to shake a strong rod over their heads or back a hearse up to the door before they realize they are so far away from the Lord." When a woman in the audience laughed at one of "Billy's" remarks he said, "You can go out if you don't like it, sterner. Some people think that the preacher should consult them on what he should say in the pulpit over their heads or back a hearse up to the door before they realize they are so far away from the Lord." The Rev. Edward Dawson, pastor of the First Reformed Church, at which the meeting was held, introduced Sunday and offered a prayer at the opening of the service.

AUTO STOLEN AS SHE WORSHIPED

The police are searching for an automobile belonging to Miss May Bickley, daughter of the Rev. George H. Bickley, of 3119 North Front street, which was taken from in front of the Market Square Presbyterian Church, School lane and Germantown avenue, while Miss Bickley was attending services there last night. The Rev. Edward Dawson, pastor of the First Reformed Church, at which the meeting was held, introduced Sunday and offered a prayer at the opening of the service.

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QUIT FEDERAL POST FOR PRIVATE OCCUPATION

Special Agent Nixon, of Department of Justice, Resigns.

C. R. Nixon, special agent of Justice in the Federal Department of Justice in the Postoffice Building, resigned his position today to become an investigator for the Philadelphia Association of Credit Men. His resignation becomes effective May 1. Special Agent Nixon has been detailed in this city for nearly two years, and during that time has made investigations and obtained evidence for the Government in many important bankruptcy and other cases. Among the more important of those he has handled for the department are the cases against Moshnick & Cramer, Abe Lipman and Anna Seltzer, Verstein Brothers and Dahm & Green Company. Mr. Nixon, who is 27 years old, has been in the service for five years. He is a graduate of Georgetown University in the department of law. He will be succeeded by Special Agent Samuel Klawans.

SEEKS WORK FOR NAVY YARD

A. Mitchell Palmer Urges Secretary Daniels to Help League Island. Work now being done at other North Atlantic naval stations will be transferred to the Philadelphia Navy Yard if Secretary Daniels puts into effect recommendations which have been made by Representative A. Mitchell Palmer. Mr. Palmer was in this city last night on his way home from Washington, and will depart taking the oath of office to the judgeship in the Federal Court of Claims until the return of Roland S. Morris, the Democratic State chairman, from Europe. Mr. Palmer said he felt confident that there would be renewed activity at League Island and that work would be furnished for a large force of workmen. He said he had made every effort to get more work for the Philadelphia station, and declared that Secretary Daniels promised to give careful consideration to his recommendations.

Trolley Rams Jitney; Three Hurt

Two passengers and the driver of a jitney bus are recovering from the effects of being hurled to the pavement last night when the machine was rammed by a trolley at Broad street and Allegheny avenue. B. F. Allonger, who was driving Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wessler to their home at 361 North 11th street, was badly bruised and the machine wrecked. Mr. and Mrs. Wessler were treated at the Episcopal Hospital. William Wood, foreman of a Philadelphia Rapid Transit emergency crew, is in the Episcopal Hospital with a broken leg. He was knocked unconscious last night while helping to put a derailed car back on the tracks. A hawser broke and an iron hook struck him with force sufficient to break his leg.

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Dead Man May be Philadelphian. H. W. Pickett, a former railroad contractor of Germantown, is believed to be dead in San Francisco. A dispatch received in this city from the chief of police of the Western metropolis describes a dead man thought to be Mr. Pickett. The man had a hat and a watch both bearing Pickett's name. The police have not located any of the relatives. Mr. Pickett was president of the H. W. Pickett Company, Inc. and formerly lived at the Wood-Norton Apartments, Wayne avenue and Johnson street, Germantown. He had offices at that time in the Harrison Building, but closed them several months ago, stating that business was dull and that he was about to leave for Canada.

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DEVOTIONAL SERVICE OPENS SECOND A. M. E. SESSION

Delaware Annual Conference Continues in Grace Memorial Church. The second day of the 104th session of the Delaware Annual Conference of the Union African Methodist Episcopal Church was opened this morning in the Grace Memorial United A. M. E. Church, 18th and Federal streets, with a devotional service, followed by a sacramental sermon delivered by the Rev. D. W. Smith. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by the Rt. Rev. B. T. Raley and the Episcopal address was then heard. The morning session was brought to a close with reports read by the presiding elders. This afternoon the convention will reassemble at the church at 1:30 o'clock, when a devotional service will be held. An address by the Rev. A. Smith on the subject of "The Church and the World" will be given at 3 o'clock. The Rev. E. Smith will report on the anniversary of the publishing department. The afternoon session will close with an address by the Rev. S. Cunningham on Temperance. This evening a devotional service will be held and the annual conference sermon will be delivered by the Rev. A. Smith. A feature of this service will be the choir of the Paschal Union A. M. E. Church.

SOCIETY PROSPEROUS

Convention in Wilmington Shows It is in Excellent Condition. WILMINGTON, Del., April 28.—Today the sixth annual convention of the Sun-Ohio Society of Delaware is being held in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church. The session opened at 10:30 o'clock this morning, when Mrs. Frank C. Sparks presiding and the religious exercises in charge of the Rev. R. W. Trappan, pastor of the church. The morning session was devoted to routine business. The afternoon session and interesting reports were received from the various branches and committees. There was an interesting drill by young Sunshine members, under the direction of Mrs. A. V. Ort and Mrs. Garrett J. Hart. The various reports showed that the society was in excellent condition. Veterans Sons' Carnival Opened. The street carnival of the Colonial Free Soldiers' Sons of Veterans, 113 S. 4th and 14th streets, was formally opened at 10:30 o'clock this morning, with a street parade and a religious service. The military parade, headed by Major Frank Byrnes, was followed by Director of Public Safety Portman. The line of march traversed almost all the streets in the Kensington section. The carnival will continue two days. The proceeds will be used for the purchase of a new armory on East 11th street.